## **Record of Committee Proceedings**

## Joint Legislative Audit Committee

Audit Letter Report (November 2004),

Opportunities Industrialization Center of Greater Milwaukee.

December 1, 2004

PUBLIC HEARING HELD

(9)

(1)

Present:

Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, Plale and

Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert,

Kerkman and Cullen.

Absent:

Representative Pocan.

### Appearances For

• None.

### Appearances Against

None.

### Appearances for Information Only

- Roberta Gassman, Madison Secretary, Department of Workforce Development (DWD)
- Bill Clingan, Madison Administrator, Division of Workforce Solutions, DWD
- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- Paul Stuiber, Madison Legislative Audit Bureau
- Lena Taylor, Milwaukee Senator-Elect, 4th Senate District
- Tyrone Dumas, Milwaukee Interim President, Opportunities Industrialization Center of Greater Milwaukee, Inc. (OIC-GM)
- Fred L. Crouther, Milwaukee Chairman of the Board, OIC-GM.
- Ronald Stinson, Milwaukee OIC-GM
- Angel Young, Milwaukee
- Susan McMurray, Madison AFSCME

#### Registrations For

• None.

#### Registrations Against

None.

Karen Asbjornson Committee Clerk

## **Senate**

## **Record of Committee Proceedings**

## Joint Legislative Audit Committee

### Audit Report 02-12,

Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage District.

### November 18, 2003 PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present: (9) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling and Plale;

Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman,

Cullen and Pocan.

Absent: (1) Senator George.

### Appearances For

• None.

#### **Appearances Against**

None.

### Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- James Zylstra, Madison Legislative Audit Bureau
- Dennis Grzezinski, Milwaukee Chair, Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage District Commission (MMSD)
- Timothy Seider, Greenfield Vice Chair, Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage District Commission (MMSD)
- Alberta Darling, River Hills State Senator, 8th Senate District
- Kevin Shafer, Fox Point Executive Director, Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage District (MMSD)
- Charles Burney, Madison Watershed Management Bureau Director's Special Assistant, Department of Natural Resources
- Rick Prosise, Madison Legal Section Chief of Water, Air, and Waste, Department of Natural Resources
- Jim Fratrick, Madison Southeast Regional Water Program Expert, Department of Natural Resources
- Sandra McLellan, Milwaukee Assistant Scientist, Great Lakes Water Institute

### Registrations For

• None.

### Registrations Against

• None.

Karen Asbjornson

Committee Clerk

## **Senate**

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

# Joint Legislative Audit Committee

Audit Report 02-21: Regulation of Nursing Homes and Assisted Living Facilities

December 13, 2002 Referred to Joint committee on Audit.

February 5, 2003 PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present: (10) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, George,

Hansen. Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert,

Kerkman, Cullen, Pocan.

Absent: (0)

Appearances for

• Claudia Stine, Madison - Board on Aging and Long Term Care

### Appearances against

None.

### Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- Kate Wade, Madison Legislative Audit Bureau
- Helene Nelson, Madison Secretary, Department of Health and Family Services
- Sue Schroeder, Madison Department of Health and Family Services, Bureau of Quality Assurance
- Otis Woods, Madison Department of Health and Family Services, Bureau of Quality Assurance
- Christian Moran, Madison Representative Krusick Office
- Brian Purtell, Madison Wisconsin Health Care Association
- Deb Klatkiewicz, Butternut, WI Park Manor Nursing Home
- Jim Murphy, Madison Wisconsin Assisted Living Association
- Beth Christie, Madison Wisconsin Assisted Living Association
- John Sauer, Madison Wisconsin Association of Homes and Services for the Aging, Inc.
- Richard Berling, Madison Community Alliance of Providers of Wisconsin
- Lincoln Burr, Oconomowoc Community Alliance of Providers of Wisconsin

 Nancy Leipzig, Oshkosh - Community Alliance of Providers of Wisconsin

### Registrations for

 William Donaldson, Madison - Board on Aging and Long Term Care

### Registrations against

• None.

Karen Asbjornson

Committee Clerk

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

# Joint Legislative Audit Committee

**Audit Report 02-21** 

Regulation of Nursing Homes and Assisted Living Facilities

December 13, 2002 Referred to Joint Legislative Audit Committee.

June 24, 2004 PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present: (9) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, Plale and

Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert,

Kerkman and Cullen.

Absent: (1) Representative Pocan.

Appearances For

• None.

Appearances Against

• None.

Appearances for Information Only

- Sinikka Santala, Madison Administrator, Department of Health and Family Services, Division of Disability and Elder Services
- Otis Woods, Madison Department of Health and Family Services, Division of Disability and Elder Services

### Registrations For

 John Sauer, Madison – Wisconsin Association of Homes and Services for the Aging, Inc.

## Registrations Against

None.

# Record of Committee Proceedings

### Joint committee on Audit

Audit Report 03-3

An Evaluation of the Use of Tobacco Control Board Funds

February 26, 2003

Referred to Joint committee on Audit.

April 1, 2003

PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present:

(10) Representative Jeskewitz; Senators Roessler,

Cowles, Darling, George and Hansen;

Representatives Kaufert, Kerkman, Cullen and

Pocan.

Absent:

(0) None.

### Appearances For

- Dr. Earnestine Willis, Chair, Tobacco Control Board, Madison
- Mr. David Gundersen, Executive Director, Tobacco Control Board, Madison

### Appearances Against

• None.

### Appearances for Information Only

- State Auditor Janice Mueller, Legislative Audit Bureau, Madison
- Mr. Don Bezruki, Legislative Audit Bureau, Madison
- Deputy Secretary Kenneth Munson, Department of Health and Family Services, Madison
- Ms. Kathryn Kuhn, Medical College of WI, 8701 Watertown Plank Road, Milwaukee, WI 53226
- Dr. Bruce Campbell, Medical College of Wisconsin, 8701
   Watertown Plank Rd., Milwaukee, WI 53226
- Ms. Sandy Terranova, Medical College of Wisconsin, 8701
   Watertown Plank Rd., Milwaukee, WI 53226
- Dr. Michael Fiore, UW Center for Tobacco Research and Intervention
- Mrs. Maureen Busalacchi, Smoke Free WI, 329 W. Wilson, 1st Floor, Madison, WI 53703

### Registrations For

- Mrs. Liz Schumacher, Wisconsin Medical Society, 330 E. Lakeside, Madison, WI
- Dr. Ayaz Samadani, Beaver Dam, WI

### Registrations Against

• None.

Erin Bilot

Committee Clerk

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

# **Joint Legislative Audit Committee**

Audit Report 03-4

Milwaukee Area Technical College District

March 12, 2003

Referred to Joint Legislative Audit Committee.

July 29, 2003

PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present:

Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling and Plale;

Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman,

Cullen and Pocan.

Absent:

(1) Senator George.

### Appearances For

None.

### Appearances Against

• None.

### Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- Kate Wade, Madison Legislative Audit Bureau
- Senator Alberta Darling, Madison Wisconsin State Senate
- Dr. Darnell Cole, Franklin President, Milwaukee Area Technical College
- Lauren Baker, Milwaukee Past President, MATC Board
- Dr. Richard Carpenter, Madison Wisconsin Technical College System
- Paul Peterson, Fox Point Former MATC Board Member
- Christy Brown, Milwaukee Milwaukee Area Technical College

### Registrations For

None.

### Registrations Against

• None.

June 24, 2004

PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present: (9) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman and Cullen.

Absent: (1) Representative Pocan.

## Appearances For

Craig Piotrowski, Milwaukee – MATC Finance Consultant

### Appearances Against

• None.

## **Appearances for Information Only**

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- Kellie Monroe, Madison Legislative Audit Bureau
- Dr. Darnell Cole, Franklin President, Milwaukee Area Technical College
- Mark Maierle, Greendale President, MATC Board
- Dr. Richard Carpenter, Madison Wisconsin Technical College System

### Registrations For

None.

## Registrations Against

None.

## **Record of Committee Proceedings**

## Joint Legislative Audit Committee

Audit Report 03-11,

State Fair Park.

September 11, 2003 Referred to Joint Legislative Audit Committee.

November 7, 2003 PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present: (6) Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman and Cullen; Senators Darling and Plale.

Absent: (4) Senators Roessler, Cowles and George; Representative Pocan.

### Appearances For

- Joseph Chrnelich, West Allis CEO, Wisconsin State Fair Park
- Martin Greenberg, Milwaukee Chairman, State Fair Park Board
- Leah Vukmir, Wauwatosa Parent
- Terry Quam, Lodi Wisconsin Cattlemen's Association
- John Weiskircher, Shullsburg
- Mike Metcalf, Madison Chief, Capitol Police
- Benno Weigel, New Berlin Bay Elm Way
- Ed Kalashian, West Allis Kalashian Food Service
- James Wetzel, Mukwonago -Milwaukee Mile/Himself
- James Mejchar, West Allis Board Member, State Fair Park Board/City of West Allis
- Marty Weigel, West Allis Alderman, City of West Allis

#### Appearances Against

• None.

#### Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- Julie Gordon, Madison Legislative Audit Bureau
- Anthony Staskunas Representative, 15<sup>th</sup> Assembly District, Wisconsin State Assembly/Wisconsin Exposition Center
- Gale Tanger, Wauwatosa U.S. Olympic Committee
- Charles Henderson, Milwaukee Pettit National Ice Center,

- Cindy Yomantas, Brookfield Executive Director, Pettit National Ice Center
- Gino Cavallini, Wauwatosa Executive VP of Programming, Pettit National Ice Center
- Bonnie Blair Cruikshank, Delafield Pettit National Ice Center
- Tom LeTendre, Greenfield Family Business at Fair
- Dr. Joseph Schwartz, West Bend Clydesdale Breeders of the USA

### Registrations For

• None.

## Registrations Against

• None.

## **Record of Committee Proceedings**

## **Joint Legislative Audit Committee**

Audit Report 03-13,

An Evaluation of the Major Highway Program.

January 26, 2004 PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present: (8) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Plale and Lassa;
Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman

and Pocan.

Absent: (2) Senator Darling; Representative Cullen.

### Appearances For

• Pat Riley, Franklin

### Appearances Against

None.

### Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- Don Bezruki, Madison Legislative Audit Bureau
- John Ainsworth, Shawano State Representative, 6th Assembly District
- Frank Busalacchi, Madison Secretary, Department of Transportation
- Mark Wolfgram, Madison Administrator, Division of Transportation Investment Management, Department of Transportation
- Kevin Chesnik, Madison Administrator, Division of Transportation Infrastructure and Development, Department of Transportation
- Randy Romanski, Madison Executive Assistant, Department of Transportation
- Alice Morehouse, Madison Director, Policy and Budget, Department of Transportation
- Lynne Judd, Madison Administrator, Division of Transportation Districts, Department of Transportation
- Leonard Sobczak, Milwaukee Transportation Projects Commission

- Bob Cook, Madison Executive Director, Transportation Development Association
- Tom Walker, Madison Executive Director, Wisconsin Transportation Builders Association
- Kevin Soucie, Greenfield Soucie and Associates
- Ward Lyles, Madison 1000 Friends of Wisconsin
- Bob Bowen, Stevens Point
- Bryan Bowen, Rhinelander
- Alvin White, Glenbeulah

### Registrations For

• None.

### Registrations Against

• None.

Karen Asbjornson Committee Clerk

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

## **Joint Legislative Audit Committee**

Follow-up: Audit Report 03-13,

Major Highway Program, Department of Transportation.

August 11, 2004

PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present:

(9)

(1)

Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, Plale and

Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert,

Kerkman and Pocan.

Absent:

Representative Cullen.

### Appearances For

None.

### Appearances Against

None.

### Appearances for Information Only

- Frank Busalacchi, Madison Secretary, Department of Transportation
- Kevin Chesnik, Madison Administrator, Division of Transportation Infrastructure and Development, Department of Transportation
- Mark Wolfgram, Madison Administrator, Division of Transportation Investment Management, Wisconsin Department of Transportation.

### Registrations For

None.

#### Registrations Against

None.

Karen Asbjornson

Committee Clerk

## **Record of Committee Proceedings**

# Joint Legislative Audit Committee

### Audit Report 04-1,

Air Management Programs.

April 22, 2004

Referred to Joint Legislative Audit Committee.

May 4, 2004

### PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present:

(9) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kerkman,

Cullen and Pocan.

Absent:

(1) Representative Kaufert.

#### Appearances For

• None.

### Appearances Against

None.

### Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- Scott Hassett, Madison Secretary, Department of Natural Resources
- Lloyd Eagan, Madison Director, Bureau of Air Management, Department of Natural Resources
- Jeff Schoepke, Madison Director of Environmental Policy, Wisconsin Manufacturers and Commerce
- Ed Wilusz, Neenah Director, Government Relations, Wisconsin Paper Council

#### Registrations For

• None.

#### Registrations Against

None.

### November 16, 2004 PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present:

(7) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert and Cullen. Absent: (3) Senator Darling; Representatives Kerkman and Pocan.

### Appearances For

• None.

### Appearances Against

• None.

### Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau, Madison
- Paul Stuiber, Madison Legislative Audit Bureau
- Scott Hassett, Madison Secretary, Department of Natural Resources
- Lloyd Eagan, Madison Director, Bureau of Air Management, Department of Natural Resources
- Jeff Schoepke, Madison Director of Environmental Policy, Wisconsin Manufacturers and Commerce

### Registrations For

• None.

### Registrations Against

• None.

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

# Joint Legislative Audit Committee

**Audit Report 04-3** 

Health Insurance Risk-Sharing Program

May 06, 2004

Referred to Joint Legislative Audit Committee.

June 24, 2004

PUBLIC HEARING HELD

(9)

Present:

Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, Plale and

Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert,

Kerkman and Cullen.

Absent:

(1) Representative Pocan.

### Appearances For

None.

### Appearances Against

• None.

### Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau,
- Dianne Allsen, Madison Legislative Audit Bureau
- Mark Moody, Madison Administrator, Department of Health and Family Services, Division of Health Care Financing
- Kelly Rosati, Wisconsin Dells WI Assoc. of Health Plans

### Registrations For

Alice O'Connor, Madison – Wisconsin Medical Society

## Registrations Against

None.

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

## **Joint Legislative Audit Committee**

#### **Audit Report 04-5**

An Audit: State Fair Park

June 22, 2004

Referred to Joint Legislative Audit Committee.

November 16, 2004 PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present: (7) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Plale and Lassa;

Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert and Cullen.

Absent: (3) Senator Darling; Representatives Kerkman and Pocan.

#### Appearances For

• None.

#### Appearances Against

• None.

### Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau,
- Julie Gordon, Madison Legislative Audit Bureau
- Martin Greenberg, Milwaukee Chairman, State Fair Park Board
- Craig Barkelar, Madison Interim Executive Director/CFO, State Fair Park
- Scott Gunderson, Waterford State Representative, State Fair Park Board Member
- Tony Staskunas, West Allis State Representative, State Fair Park Board Member
- Gina Frank-Reece, Madison Deputy Secretary, Department of Administration

#### Registrations For

None.

### Registrations Against

None.

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

# Joint Legislative Audit Committee

Audit Report 04-6, (approximately 12:00 p.m.)

An Evaluation: Restorative Justice Programs, Milwaukee and Outagamie Counties

September 09, 2004 Referred to Joint Legislative Audit Committee.

September 23, 2004 PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present: (8) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman and Pocan.

Absent: (2) Senator Darling; Representative Cullen.

### Appearances For

- David Lerman, Milwaukee Restorative Justice Coordinator, Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office
- Lucille Bennett, Milwaukee Midtown Community Justice Center
- Karen Jones, Oostburg
- Roger Brooks, Milwaukee Interfaith Conference of Greater Milwaukee
- Melinda Tempelis, Appleton Assistant District Attorney, Outagamie District Attorney's Office
- Cheryl Stinski, Appleton Community Restorative Justice Project

### Appearances Against

None.

## Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- Kate Wade, Madison Legislative Audit Bureau
- Cathy Warmington, Waukesha Mediation Center

#### Registrations For

- Regina Bryant, Milwaukee
- Erin Katzfey, Franklin
- Becky Zarling, Madison

#### Registrations Against

• None.

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

# Joint Legislative Audit Committee

Audit Report 04-7,

A Review: Credentialing Fees, Department of Regulation and Licensing. (Public testimony will be received).

August 02, 2004

Referred to Joint Legislative Audit Committee.

September 23, 2004 PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present:

(8) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Plale and Lassa;

Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman

and Pocan.

Absent:

(2) Senator Darling; Representative Cullen.

### Appearances For

• None.

### Appearances Against

• None.

### Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- Don Bezruki, Madison Legislative Audit Bureau
- Donsia Strong Hill, Madison Secretary, Department of Regulation and Licensing
- Sandy Rowe, Madison Enforcement Division Administrator, Department of Regulation and Licensing

### Registrations For

None.

### Registrations Against

None.

## **Record of Committee Proceedings**

## Joint Legislative Audit Committee

### Audit Report 04-10,

University of Wisconsin System Staffing.

October 6, 2004 PU

### PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present:

(10) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, Plale and

Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert,

Kerkman, Cullen and Pocan.

Absent:

(0) None.

### Appearances For

- Kevin Reilly, Madison President, University of Wisconsin (UW) System
- Rick Wells, Oshkosh Chancellor, UW-Oshkosh
- Toby Marcovich, Superior President, Board of Regents, UW System
- Hector DeLuca, Deerfield Chair, Department of Biochemistry, UW-Madison
- Bruce Shephard, Green Bay Chancellor, UW-Green Bay.

#### Appearances Against

None.

### Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- Kate Wade, Madison Legislative Audit Bureau
- Joshua Smith, Madison Legislative Audit Bureau
- John Stott, Madison Legislative Fiscal Bureau
- Stephanie Hilton, Madison United Council of University of Wisconsin Students
- Tom Still, Madison President, Wisconsin Technology Council.

#### Registrations For

None.

#### Registrations Against

• None.

Karen Asbjornson Committee Clerk

## **Record of Committee Proceedings**

## **Joint Legislative Audit Committee**

### Audit Report 04-11,

An Evaluation: Medical Assistance Eligibility Determinations Department of Health and Family Services.

December 1, 2004 PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present: (9) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert,

Kerkman and Cullen.

Absent: (1) Representative Pocan.

### Appearances For

• None.

#### Appearances Against

• None.

### Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- Paul Stuiber, Madison Legislative Audit Bureau
- Mark Moody, Madison Administrator, Division of Health Care Financing, Department of Health and Family Services (DHFS)
- Cheryl McIlquham, Madison Director, Bureau of Eligibility Management, DHFS
- Jim Jones, Madison Deputy Director, Bureau of Eligibility Management, DHFS
- Richard Basiliere, Appleton Wisconsin Association on Public Assistance Fraud
- Gene Kucharski, Green Bay Wisconsin Association on Public Assistance Fraud
- Bobby Peterson, Madison ABC for Health
- Jon Peacock, Madison Wisconsin Council on Children and Families
- Michael Jacob, Madison Covering Kids and Families

#### Registrations For

• None.

#### Registrations Against

None.

Karen Asbjornson, Committee Clerk

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

# Joint Legislative Audit Committee

Proposed Audit of the Department of Health and Family Services' Bureau of Milwaukee Child Welfare

September 09, 2004 Referred to Joint Legislative Audit Committee.

September 23, 2004. PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present: (8) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman and Pocan.

Absent: (2) Senator Darling; Representative Cullen.

### Appearances For

- Marc Herstand, Madison Executive Director, National Association of Social Workers, Wisconsin Chapter
- Susan Conwell, Milwaukee Co-Director, In Their Best Interests, Inc.
- Karyn Rotker, Milwaukee Attorney, ACLU of Wisconsin

### Appearances Against

None.

### Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- Paul Stuiber, Madison Legislative Audit Bureau
- Diane Welsh, Madison Executive Assistant, Department of Health and Family Services
- Kitty Kocol, Madison Administrator, Division of Children and Families, Department of Health and Family Services
- Denise Revels Robinson, Milwaukee Director, Bureau of Milwaukee Child Welfare, Department of Health and Family Services

#### Registrations For

None.

### Registrations Against

None.

### September 23, 2004 EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD

Present: (8) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman

and Pocan.

Absent: (2) Senator Darling; Representative Cullen.

Moved by Senator Roessler, seconded by Representative Kerkman to that **Proposed Audit of the Department of Health and Family Services' Bureau of Milwaukee Child Welfare** be approved according to the scope statement prepared by the Legislative Audit Bureau dated September 16, 2004.

Ayes: (8) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman and Pocan.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (2) Senator Darling; Representative Cullen.

ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 8, Noes 0

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

## Joint Legislative Audit Committee

Proposed Audit of the Department of Health and Family Services' Physician Office Visit Data Program

November 03, 2004 Referred to Joint Legislative Audit Committee.

November 16, 2004 PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present: (7) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert and Cullen.

Absent: (3) Senator Darling; Representatives Kerkman and Pocan.

### Appearances For

- Ron Harms, Hortonville Wisconsin Medical Society
- Sheldon Wasserman, Milwaukee State Representative

#### Appearances Against

• None.

### Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- Helene Nelson, Madison Secretary, Department of Health and Family Services
- Susan Wood, Madison Director, Bureau of Health Info and Policy, Department of Health and Family Services

#### Registrations For

- Tim Hoven, Madison Wisconsin Academy of Family Physicians
- R.J. Pirlot, Madison Wisconsin Manufacturers and Commerce
- Kathryn Kuhn, Wauwatosa Medical College of WI
- Michael Heifetz, Madison Dean Health System
- John Kelly, La Crosse President, Wisconsin Medical Group Management Association
- Eric Borgerding, Madison Wisconsin Hospital Association
- Alice O'Connor, Madison Wisconsin Medical Society

#### Registrations Against

None.

### November 16, 2004 EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD

Present: (7) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert and Cullen.

Absent: (3) Senator Darling; Representatives Kerkman and Pocan.

Moved by Senator Roessler, seconded by Senator Lassa that **Proposed Audit of the Department of Health and Family Services' Physician Office Visit Data Program** be approved according to the scope statement prepared by the Legislative Audit Bureau.

Ayes: (7) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert and Cullen.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (3) Senator Darling; Representatives Kerkman and Pocan.

ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 0

## **Senate**

## **Record of Committee Proceedings**

## Joint Legislative Audit Committee

**Proposed Audit of the Department of Natural Resources' Air Management Programs** 

January 27, 2003

Referred to Joint committee on Audit.

February 5, 2003

PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present:

(10) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, George, Hansen. Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman, Cullen, Pocan.

Absent:

(0) None.

### Appearances for

- Bill Smith, Madison Deputy Secretary, Department of Natural Resources
- Jay Hochmuth, Madison Department of Natural Resources, Air Permitting Program

### Appearances against

• None.

### Appearances for Information Only

• Janice Mueller, Madison - State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau

### Registrations for

- Patrick Stevens, Madison Wisconsin Transportation Builders Association
- Jeff Schoepke, Madison Wisconsin Manufacturers and Commerce

### Registrations against

• None.

#### February 5, 2004

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present:

(10) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, George, Hansen. Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert,

Kerkman, Cullen, Pocan.

Absent:

(0) None.

Moved by Senator Cowles, seconded by Representative Jeskewitz that **Proposed Audit of the Department of Natural Resources' Air Management Programs** be approved according to the scope statement prepared by the Legislative Audit Bureau.

Ayes:

(10)

Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, George,

Hansen. Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert,

Kerkman, Cullen, Pocan.

Noes:

(0) None.

ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 10, Noes 0

Karen Asbjornson

Committee Clerk

### **Senate**

## **Record of Committee Proceedings**

## **Joint Legislative Audit Committee**

### Proposed Audit of the Department of Regulation and Licensing's Credentialing Fees

September 24, 2003 Referred to Joint Legislative Audit Committee.

October 1, 2003

PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present: (7) Senators Roessler, Cowles and Darling;

Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman

and Pocan.

Absent: (3) Senators George and Plale; Representative

Cullen.

### Appearances For

 Mary Woolsey Schlaefer, Madison - Deputy Secretary, Department of Regulation and Licensing

• Sandy Rowe, Madison – Enforcement Division Administrator, Department of Regulation and Licensing

### Appearances Against

• None.

## Appearances for Information Only

 Janice Mueller, Madison - State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau

#### **Registrations For**

• None.

#### Registrations Against

None.

October 1, 2003

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (7) Senators Roessler, Cowles and Darling;

Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman

and Pocan.

Absent: (3) Senators George and Plale; Representative

Cullen.

Moved by Representative Jeskewitz, seconded by Senator Darling that **Proposed Audit of the Department of Regulation and Licensing's Credentialing Fees** be approved according to the scope statement prepared by the Legislative Audit Bureau.

Ayes: (7) Senators Roessler, Cowles and Darling; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman and Pocan.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (3) Senators George and Plale; Representative Cullen.

ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 0

Karen Asbjornson Committee Clerk

## Senate

## **Record of Committee Proceedings**

## **Joint Legislative Audit Committee**

Proposed Audit of the Department of Revenue's Assessment of Manufacturing Property

September 24, 2003 Referred to Joint Legislative Audit Committee.

October 1, 2003 PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present: (7) Senators Roessler, Cowles and Darling; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman

and Pocan.

Absent: (3) Senators George and Plale; Representative Cullen.

Appearances For

 Michael Morgan, Madison – Secretary, Department of Revenue

 James Gultry, Madison - Administrator State and Local Finance, Department of Revenue

#### Appearances Against

None.

### Appearances for Information Only

• Janice Mueller, Madison - State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau

#### Registrations For

• Joan Hansen, Madison – Director of Tax and Corporate Policy, Wisconsin Manufacturers and Commerce

### Registrations Against

None.

October 1, 2003 EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD

Present: (7) Senators Roessler, Cowles and Darling;

Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman

and Pocan.

Absent: (3) Senators George and Plale; Representative

Cullen.

Moved by Senator Roessler, seconded by Senator Cowles that **Proposed Audit of the Department of Revenue's Assessment of Manufacturing Property** be approved according to the scope statement prepared by the Legislative Audit Bureau.

Ayes: (7) Senators Roessler, Cowles and Darling; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman and Pocan.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (3) Senators George and Plale; Representative Cullen.

ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 0

Karen Asbjornson Committee Clerk

## **Senate**

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

## **Joint Legislative Audit Committee**

Proposed Audit of the Department of Transportation's Major Highway Development Program

January 27, 2003

Referred to Joint committee on Audit.

February 5, 2003

PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present:

(10) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, George, Hansen. Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert,

Kerkman, Cullen, Pocan.

Absent:

(0) None.

### Appearances for

 Thomas Walker, Madison - Wisconsin Transportation Builders Association

### Appearances against

None.

#### Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- Alice Morehouse, Madison Department of Transportation

#### Registrations for

None.

#### Registrations against

• None.

### February 5, 2004

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present:

(10) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, George, Hansen. Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert,

Kerkman, Cullen, Pocan.

Absent:

(0) None.

Moved by Senator Hansen, seconded by Representative Jeskewitz that Proposed Audit of the Department of Transportation's Major Highway Development Program be approved according

to the scope statement prepared by the Legislative Audit Bureau.

Ayes:

(10) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, George, Hansen. Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert,

Kerkman, Cullen, Pocan.

Noes:

(0) None.

ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 10, Noes 0

Karen Asbjornson

Committee Clerk

# Joint Legislative Audit Committee

Proposed Audit on the Department of Workforce Development's Wisconsin Works (W-2) Program

January 30, 2004

Referred to Joint Legislative Audit Committee.

February 11, 2004

#### PUBLIC HEARING HELD

(8)

(2)

Present:

Senators Roessler, Plale and Lassa;

Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman,

Cullen and Pocan.

Absent:

Senators Cowles and Darling.

#### Appearances For

- Roberta Gassman, Madison Secretary, Department of Workforce Development
- Carol Medaris, Madison Senior Staff Attorney, Wisconsin Council on Children and Families
- Victoria Selkowe, Madison Economic Justice Institute, Inc.
- Kathleen Mulligan-Hansel, Milwaukee Institute For Wisconsin's Future
- Pat DeLessio, Milwaukee Legal Action of Wisconsin
- Amy Stear, Milwaukee W-2 Monitoring Task Force
- Tracy Jones, Milwaukee
- Susan McMurray, AFSCME, Madison
- Julie Kerksick, New Hope Project

#### Appearances Against

None.

#### Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- Paul Stuiber, Madison Legislative Audit Bureau

#### Registrations For

Mildred Navedo, Milwaukee

#### Registrations Against

• None.

February 11, 2004 EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD

Present: (8) Senators Roessler, Plale and Lassa;
Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman,
Cullen and Pocan.

Absent: (2) Senators Cowles and Darling.

Moved by Senator Plale, seconded by Senator Roessler that Proposed Audit on the Department of Workforce Development's Wisconsin Works (W-2) Program, be approved according to the scope statement prepared by the Legislative Audit Bureau.

> Ayes: (8) Senators Roessler, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman, Cullen and Pocan.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (2) Senators Cowles and Darling.

ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 8, Noes 0

# **Joint Legislative Audit Committee**

# Proposed Audit of Eligibility Determination for Medical Assistance and Related Health Care Programs

Requested by Senator Lazich

May 05, 2003

Referred to Joint committee on Audit.

May 29, 2003

PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present:

(9) Representative Jeskewitz; Senators Roessler,

Cowles, Darling, George and Plale;

Representatives Kaufert, Kerkman and Cullen.

Absent:

(1) Representative Pocan.

#### Appearances For

- Mary Lazich, State Senator 28th Senate District, New Berlin
- Tom Van Ess, Senator Lazich Office, Madison

## **Appearances Against**

None.

## Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau, Madison
- Paul Stuiber, Legislative Audit Bureau, Madison
- Mark Moody, Department of Health and Family Services,
   Division of Health Care Financing-Administrator, Madison
- James Jones, Department of Health and Family Services, Division of Health Care Financing, Bureau of Health Care Eligibility-Deputy Director, Madison
- Gail Sumi, AARP, Madison

# Registrations For

• None.

#### Registrations Against

• None.

## May 29, 2003 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (9) Representative Jeskewitz; Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, George and Plale; Representatives Kaufert, Kerkman and Cullen.

Absent: (1) Representative Pocan.

Moved by Senator Cowles, seconded by Senator Darling that **Proposed Audit of Eligibility Determination for Medical Assistance and Related Health Care Programs** be approved according to the scope statement prepared by the Legislative Audit Bureau.

Ayes: (9) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, George and Plale; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman and Cullen.

Noes: (0) None.

ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0

Karen Asbjornson Committee Clerk

# **Joint Legislative Audit Committee**

## Proposed Audit of the State's Vehicle Fleet,

Requested by Senator Cowles, Senator Roessler, Representative Jeskewitz and Representative Meyer.

May 4, 2004

#### PUBLIC HEARING HELD

(1)

Present:

(9) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, Plale and

Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kerkman,

Cullen and Pocan.

Absent:

Representative Kaufert.

## Appearances For

• None.

#### Appearances Against

None.

#### Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- Sean Dilweg, Madison Executive Assistant, Department of Administration
- Sari King, Madison Administrator, Division of State Agency Services, Department of Administration
- Vance Rayburn, Madison Adminstrator, Division of Customer Assistance and External Services, Department of Natural Resources
- Larry Legro, Sun Prairie State Engineering Association

#### Registrations For

• Bob Welch, Redgranite - Senator, 14 Senate District

#### Registrations Against

• None.

May 4, 2004

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present:

(9) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, Plale and

Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kerkman,

Cullen and Pocan.

Absent:

(1) Representative Kaufert.

Moved by Senator Cowles, seconded by Representative Kerkman that **Proposed Audit of the State's Vehicle Fleet** be approved according to the scope statement prepared by the Legislative Audit Bureau.

Ayes: (9) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kerkman, Cullen and Pocan.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative Kaufert.

ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0

Karen Asbjornson Committee Clerk

# Joint Legislative Audit Committee

# Proposed Audit of Wisconsin's Economic Development Programs

January 30, 2004

Referred to Joint Legislative Audit Committee.

February 11, 2004

PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present:

(8) Senators Roessler, Plale and Lassa;

Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman.

Cullen and Pocan.

Absent:

(2) Senators Cowles and Darling.

## Appearances For

None.

## Appearances Against

• None.

# Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor Legislative Audit Bureau
- Don Bezruki, Madison Legislative Audit Bureau

# Registrations For

None.

# Registrations Against

None.

# February 11, 2004

## **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present:

(8) Senators Roessler, Plale and Lassa;

Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman,

Cullen and Pocan.

Absent:

(2) Senators Cowles and Darling.

Moved by Representative Kerkman, seconded by Senator Roessler that **Proposed Audit of Wisconsin's Economic Development Programs**, be approved according to the scope statement prepared by the Legislative Audit Bureau.

Ayes: (8) Senators Roessler, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman, Cullen and Pocan.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (2) Senators Cowles and Darling.

ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 8, Noes 0

# **Senate**

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

# Joint Legislative Audit Committee

Proposed Review of Administrative Expenditures and Staffing in the University of Wisconsin System

January 27, 2003

Referred to Joint committee on Audit.

February 5, 2003

PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present:

(10) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, George, Hansen. Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman, Cullen, Pocan.

Absent:

(0) None.

## Appearances for

• None.

## Appearances against

None.

## Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- Katharine Lyall, President, University of Wisconsin System
- Debbie Durcan, Vice President of Finance, University of Wisconsin System

#### Registrations for

None.

#### Registrations against

None.

## February 5, 2004

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present:

(10) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, George, Hansen. Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman, Cullen, Pocan.

Absent:

(0) None.

Moved by Representative Jeskewitz, seconded by Representative Kerkman that **Proposed Review of Administrative Expenditures** and Staffing in the University of Wisconsin System be approved according to the scope statement prepared by the Legislative Audit Bureau.

Ayes:

(10) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, George,

Hansen. Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert,

Kerkman, Cullen, Pocan.

Noes:

(0) None.

ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 10, Noes 0

Karen Asbjornson

Committee Clerk

# **Assembly**

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

# **Joint Legislative Audit Committee**

## **Audit Letter Report (January 2004)**

Use of Emergency Department Services by Medical Assistance Recipients

May 06, 2004

Referred to Joint Legislative Audit Committee.

June 24, 2004

#### PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present:

(9) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert,

Kerkman and Cullen.

Absent:

(1) Representative Pocan.

# Appearances For

Alice O'Connor, Madison – Wisconsin Medical Society,

## **Appearances Against**

• None.

# Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau,
- Kellie Monroe, Madison Legislative Audit Bureau
- Mark Moody, Madison Administrator, Department of Health and Family Services, Division of Health Care Financing
- Bill Bazan, Milwaukee Wisconsin Hospital Association
- Howard Croft, Milwaukee Wisconsin Chapter of American College of Emergency Physicians and Wisconsin Medical Society
- Richard Paul, Vernon Hills Wisconsin Chapter of American College of Emergency Physicians
- Richard Shimp, MD, Milwaukee
- Kelly Rosati, Wisconsin Dells WI Assoc. of Health Plans
- Senator Bob Jauch, Madison Wisconsin State Senate

## Registrations For

Peggy Rosenzweig, Wauwatosa

#### Registrations Against

None.

# **Assembly**

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

# **Joint Legislative Audit Committee**

Evaluation of the Food Stamp Program (Report 00-8) and Follow-Up related to the Food Stamp error rate

September 11, 2003 Referred to Joint Legislative Audit Committee.

October 8, 2003

#### PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present: (5) Representative Jeskewitz, Kerkman and Cullen; Senators Roessler and Cowles.

Absent: (5) Representatives Kaufert and Pocan; Senators Darling, George and Plale.

## Appearances For

• None.

## Appearances Against

None.

# Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- Helene Nelson, Madison Secretary, Department of Health & Family Services (DHFS)
- Cheryl McIlquham, Madison Director, Bureau of Health Care Eligibility, DHFS
- David Ward, Fort Atkinson Representative, 27th Assembly District, Wisconsin State Assembly
- Sherrie Tussler, Milwaukee Executive Director, Hunger Task Force of Milwaukee, Inc.
- Carol Medaris, Madison Senior Staff Attorney, Wisconsin Council on Children and Families
- Jonathan Bader, Madison Food Security Coordinator, Wisconsin Community Action Program Association

#### Registrations For

None.

#### Registrations Against

• None.

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# **Assembly**

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

# Joint committee on Audit

## Informational Hearing

Invited speakers will testify on the Department of Administration's State of Wisconsin Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) and its preparation using generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP)

February 26, 2003

Referred to Joint committee on Audit.

April 1, 2003

#### PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present:

(10) Representative Jeskewitz; Senators Roessler,

Cowles, Darling, George and Hansen;

Representatives Kaufert, Kerkman, Cullen and

Pocan.

Absent:

(0) None.

# Appearances For

None.

# Appearances Against

• None.

#### Appearances for Information Only

- State Auditor Janice Mueller, Legislative Audit Bureau, Madison
- Deputy State Auditor Jacob Klam, Legislative Audit Bureau, Madison
- Mr. David Schmiedicke, Department of Administration, Madison
- Mr. William Raftery, Department of Administration, Madison

#### Registrations For

• None.

# Registrations Against

• None.

Erin Bilot

Committee Clerk

# Joint Legislative Audit Committee

# Informational Hearing,

Food Stamp Program, Department of Health and Family Services.

August 11, 2004

# PUBLIC HEARING HELD

**(1)** 

Present: (9)

Senators Roessler, Cowles, Darling, Plale and

Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert,

Kerkman and Pocan.

Absent:

Representative Cullen.

## Appearances For

None.

# Appearances Against

None.

# Appearances for Information Only

- Mark Moody, Madison Division of Health Care Financing-Administrator, Department of Health and Family Services
- Jim Jones, Madison Deputy Director, Bureau of Health Care and Eligibility, Department of Health and Family Services.

# Registrations For

None.

#### Registrations Against

• None.

Karen Asbjornson

Committee Clerk

# Joint Legislative Audit Committee

## Wisconsin Family Care Program,

Wisconsin Family Care Final Evaluation (July 2003), conducted by The Lewin Group, Inc., under contract with the Legislative Audit Bureau as per the requirements of 1999 Wisconsin Act 9.

Family Care Independent Assessment: An Evaluation of Access, Quality and Cost Effectiveness for Calendar Year 2002 (December 2003), prepared by APS Healthcare, Inc., under contract with the Department of Health and Family Services, to fulfill requirements established by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services.

# February 13, 2004 PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present: (8) Senators Roessler, Cowles, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman and Cullen.

Absent: (2) Senator Darling; Representative Pocan.

#### Appearances For

- Deb Menacher, Wausau Aging and Disability Resource Center
- Peggy Herbeck, LaCrosse LaCrosse County HSD Resource Center
- Chester Kuzminski, Milwaukee Milwaukee County Department on Aging
- Sandy Tryon, Fond du Lac Fond du Lac Department of Social Services Aging and Disability Resource Center
- Dana Cyra, Stevens Point Portage County Aging and Disability Resource Center
- Becky Severson, Whitehall Trempealeau County Aging and Disability Resource Center
- Kim Enders, Richland Center Richland County Resource Center
- Meg Gleeson, Milwaukee Milwaukee County Department of Aging
- Mary Faherty, LaCrosse LaCrosse County Human Services
- Kay Krause, Fond du Lac Creative Care Options of Fond du Lac County
- Jim Meisinger, Fond du Lac Fond du Lac Care Management Organization

- Jim Canales, Stevens Point Community Care of Portage County
- Teri Buros, Richland Center Richland County Health and Human Services
- LaVerne Jaros, Pleasant Prairie Kenosha County Division of Aging

## Appearances Against

• None.

# Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- Kate Wade, Madison Legislative Audit Bureau
- Lisa Maria Alecxih, Washington, DC Vice President, The Lewin Group, Inc.
- Amie Goldman, Madison APS Healthcare
- Ed Hickey, Madison APS Healthcare
- Helene Nelson, Madison Secretary, Department of Health and Family Services
- Judith Frye, Madison Associate Administrator for Long-Term Support, Department of Health and Family Services
- Jennifer Ondrejka, Madison Wisconsin Council on Developmental Disabilities
- Gerald Kallas, West Allis Senior Residential Care

#### Registrations For

None.

## Registrations Against

None.

Karen Asbjornson Committee Clerk

# **Joint Legislative Audit Committee**

## **Assembly Bill 893**

Relating to: major highway projects, southeast Wisconsin freeway rehabilitation projects, and the transportation projects commission.

By Representative Jeskewitz; cosponsored by Senator Roessler.

February 23, 2004

Referred to Joint Legislative Audit Committee.

February 26, 2004

PUBLIC HEARING HELD

(9)

Present:

Senators Roessler, Darling, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman,

Cullen and Pocan.

Absent:

(1) Senator Cowles.

#### Appearances For

- Suzanne Jeskewitz, Menomonee Falls Representative, Wisconsin State Assembly
- Carol Roessler, Oshkosh Senator, Wisconsin State Senate
- Pat Riley, Franklin
- Ward Lyles, Madison 1000 Friends of Wisconsin

# Appearances Against

• None.

# Appearances for Information Only

- Randy Romanski, Madison Wisconsin Department of Transportation
- Mark Wolfgram, Madison Wisconsin Department of Transportation

# Registrations For

 John Ainsworth, Shawano – Representative, Wisconsin State Assembly

# Registrations Against

• None.

February 26, 2004 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD** 

Present: (9) Senators Roessler, Darling, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman, Cullen and Pocan.

Absent: (1) Senator Cowles.

At the request of Co-Chair Jeskewitz, Assembly Amendment LRBa2408/1 was introduced by unanimous consent

Moved by Representative Kerkman, seconded by Senator Plale that **Assembly Amendment LRBa2408/1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (8) Senators Roessler, Darling, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kerkman, Cullen and Pocan.

Noes: (1) Representative Kaufert.

Absent: (1) Senator Cowles.

ADOPTION OF ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT LRBA2408/1 RECOMMENDED, Ayes 8, Noes 1

Moved by Senator Roessler, seconded by Representative Pocan that **Assembly Bill 893** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (9) Senators Roessler, Darling, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman, Cullen and Pocan.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Senator Cowles.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0

Moved by Senator Roessler, seconded by Representative Pocan that **Assembly Bill 893** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (9) Senators Roessler, Darling, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman, Cullen and Pocan.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Senator Cowles.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0

# **Senate**

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

# **Joint Legislative Audit Committee**

#### Senate Bill 478

Relating to: major highway projects, southeast Wisconsin freeway rehabilitation projects, and the transportation projects commission.

By Senator Roessler; cosponsored by Representative Jeskewitz.

February 20, 2004

Referred to Joint Legislative Audit Committee.

February 26, 2004

#### PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present:

(9) Senators Roessler, Darling, Plale and Lassa;

Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman,

Cullen and Pocan.

Absent:

(1) Senator Cowles.

## Appearances For

- Representative Suzanne Jeskewitz, Wisconsin State Assembly, Menomonee Falls
- Senator Carol Roessler, Wisconsin State Senate, Oshkosh
- Pat Riley, Franklin
- Ward Lyles, 1000 Friends of Wisconsin, Madison

#### Appearances Against

None.

## Appearances for Information Only

- Randy Romanski, Wisconsin Department of Transportation, Madison
- Mark Wolfgram, Wisconsin Department of Transportation, Madison

#### Registrations For

 Representative John Ainsworth, Wisconsin State Assembly, Shawano

#### Registrations Against

• None.

February 26, 2004 EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD

Present: (9) Senators Roessler, Darling, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman, Cullen and Pocan.

Absent: (1) Senator Cowles.

Moved by Representative Jeskewitz that **Senate Amendment LRBa2409** be recommended for introduction.

Ayes: (9) Senators Roessler, Darling, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman, Cullen and Pocan.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Senator Cowles.

INTRODUCTION OF SENATE AMENDMENT LRBA2409 RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0

Moved by Representative Kerkman, seconded by Senator Plale that **Senate Amendment LRBa2409** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (8) Senators Roessler, Darling, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kerkman, Cullen and Pocan.

Noes: (1) Representative Kaufert.

Absent: (1) Senator Cowles.

ADOPTION OF SENATE AMENDMENT LRBA2409 RECOMMENDED, Ayes 8, Noes 1

Moved by Senator Roessler, seconded by Representative Pocan that **Senate Bill 478** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (9) Senators Roessler, Darling, Plale and Lassa; Representatives Jeskewitz, Kaufert, Kerkman, Cullen and Pocan.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Senator Cowles.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0

Karen Asbjornson Committee Clerk